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In re PATENT application of:

Applicant: Martin Immerz  
Appln. No.: 09/808,737  
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Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR THE NAVIGATION-ASSISTED  
POSITIONING OF ELEMENTS

Grp./Art Unit: 3737  
Examiner:

Docket No.: SCHWP0139US

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT DELETING MULTIPLE DEPENDENCIES**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Further and favorable consideration of the above-referenced application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments**

Please amend the application in the below indicated manner.<sup>1</sup> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any extra claim fees to Deposit Account No. 18-0988 under the above set forth Docket No.

***In the Claims:***

Please amend claims 3-9 and 14-19 as follows:

3. The method as set forth in claim 1, wherein a data model of said body is generated.

<sup>1</sup> The change(s) to the specification and/or claims are shown by underscoring and bracketing in the marked-up version attached hereto as an Appendix.